

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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WIELAND, <i>et al.</i>	)	Group Art Unit: 1651
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US Application Serial No. 10/049,968	)	Examiner: Hanley, Susan Marie
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Filed: February 13, 2002	)	
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For: <i>Substances and Agents for Positively</i>	)	
<i>Influencing Collagen</i>	)	

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.114**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner of Patents  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 3, 2010, Applicants respectfully submit the following Request for Continued Examination with the required submission and fee, along with a petition for an extension of time and the required fee, extending the period for reply to May 3, 2011. Entry of the Request and the amendments is respectfully requested.

**A Claims Listings** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begins on page 4 of this paper.